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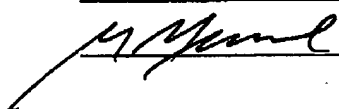
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2. Amendments to the claims; and
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Enclosed please find an Amendment in Response to the March 30, 2004 Office Action in the above referenced application.

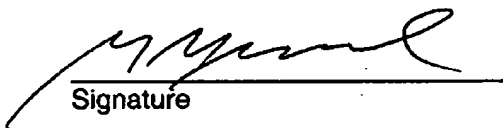
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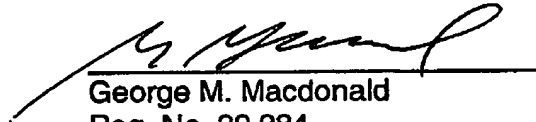
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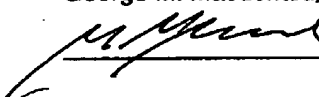

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